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SUBJECT: INDIA STILL NONCOMMITTAL ON APDP EOM - WANTS
INVITE FROM MONGOLIANS

REF: SECSTATE 50320

11. (SBU) Poloff followed up on demarche (Ref A) with MEA Joint Secretary Sanjiv Arora (United Nations Political) and his Deputy, Sanjay Rana, regarding Foreign Secretary Menon's April 24 conversation with Under Secretary Dobriansky indicating that India will participate in the Asia-Pacific Democracy Partnership (APDP) Election Observation Mission (EOM) to Mongolia. Rana responded that the GOI has followed the EOM for some time and is aware that several countries have been contacted to participate in the EOM under the auspices of the APDP. Rana stated that the GOI will only consider the request when received directly from the Mongolian government. When Poloff asked if the GOI would positively consider the request from the Mongolians, Rana was noncommittal and only promised that the GOI would openly consider the request.

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